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# Pot-Grown ROSES

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Greenhouse Culture



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# Pot-grown Roses

#### AMERICAN BEAUTY

The largest, finest, and most beautiful forcing rose ever introduced. Color deep rose. Very fragrant. Own-root plants, 3½ and 4-inch pots, 35c. each, \$3.50 per dozen, \$25.00 per 100.

#### FRANCIS SCOTT KEY

This new variety is entirely different and distinct from other indoor roses grown to-day. The flowers are rosy red, and unusually large and double, resembling very much a very full, double hardy garden rose. Coupled with its large size and double form, it is an exceedingly free bloomer, and has remarkable keeping qualities. Own-root and grafted.

#### GEORGE ELGER

A lovely golden yellow polyantha rose. The dainty little pointed buds open into pretty symmetrical blooms. Own-root.

#### HOOSIER BEAUTY

A magnificent variety. The flowers, which are borne on erect, vigorous stems, are large and of a rich glowing crimson, with darker shadings. Excellent for forcing and outdoor planting. Ownroot plants, 3½ and 4-inch pots, 35c. each, \$3.50 per dozen, \$25.00 per 100; grafted plants 45c. each, \$4.50 per dozen, \$30.00 per 100.

#### KILLARNEY BRILLIANT

This variety has the same good habit of growth and the same freedom of bloom as the original Pink Killarney, from which it is a sport, but flowers are larger and more double, and a darker shade of pink. They vary somewhat, according to the weather. In clear weather they are clear pink, while in dull weather they are almost crimson. Own-root and grafted.

#### KILLARNEY QUEEN

This variety is a strong grower, and produces high-grade flowers. Flowers and petals are larger and better than the original Pink Killarney, and are also deeper in color, being cerise-pink. Ownroot and grafted.

#### KILLARNEY, WHITE

This is one of the finest white roses grown. It is similar to the Pink Killarney in free-flowering qualities, but the buds are larger and fuller, and are beautiful pure white. Own-root and grafted.

#### KILLARNEY, DOUBLE WHITE

Buds double the size and with more petals than the original White Killarney, from which it is a sport. Excellent for bedding or forcing. Grafted.

Own-root plants of the above-named varieties,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  and 4-inch pots, 30c. each, \$3.00 per dozen, \$20.00 per 100, except where noted. Grafted plants, 35c. each, \$3.50 per dozen, \$25.00 per 100, except where noted.

Above-named varieties, own-root and grafted, ready in May.

#### LADY ALICE STANLEY

A very popular rose. Flowers deep clear rose color, inside of petals delicate flesh, suffused with bright pink; fragrant and of fine form. Own-root.

#### MIGNON, or CECILE BRUNNER

This dainty little rose has created a sensation in the cut flower market. It is particularly well adapted for corsage bouquets, also for table decoration work. Flowers are light rose-pink, produced in abundance. Own-root and grafted.

#### MRS. AARON WARD

Golden orange, changing to creamy yellow and white at tip of petals. Very free-flowering. Ownroot and grafted.

#### MRS. CHARLES RUSSELL

A very high-grade rose. The bud is fully as large as American Beauty, but longer and more pointed, and opens up into a magnificent flower, light rose-pink, deeper in the center. A strong growing variety, with strong stems. Grafted plants, 3½ and 4-inch pots, 50c. each, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.

#### MRS. GEORGE SHAWYER

Flowers are large and of good form, lovely clear rose color. A strong, vigorous grower. Own-root and grafted.

#### **OPHELIA**

This beautiful new variety is one of the very best for cut flowers. It is a strong grower and a free bloomer, with fine large dark green foliage and excellent habit. The flowers are well formed; salmon-pink, shading to pink, base of petals light yellow; borne on long stiff stems. Own-root and grafted.

#### RADIANCE

A grand rose. The flowers, which are produced freely, are large and full, cupped shape, of perfect form; brilliant carmine-pink, with yellow shadings at base of petals. Own-root.

#### RICHMOND

This is a fine crimson rose, grown extensively for forcing. Own-root and grafted.

#### SUNBURST

A splendid rose. A strong grower and a free bloomer. Flowers are large, buds pointed, golden orange. Own-root plants, 3½ and 4-inch pots, 35c. each, \$3.50 per dozen, \$25.00 per 100.

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Above-named varieties, own-root and grafted, ready in May.

## **HYDRANGEAS**

## Grown in Tubs for Summer Blooming

We have a magnificent lot of large plants grown in tubs and half-barrels for July and August flower-

ing.

We have made a specialty of these for years, and find an increasing demand for them from year to year. Plants are well budded and begin to show color early in July, and are in perfection during July and August—the time of year when they are most in demand. When in full bloom they are covered with their showy flowers. Nothing is showier or more satisfactory for lawn or piazza decoration. They are particularly beautiful for lawn decoration at watering places and other summer resorts. They can be wintered in a pit or cold cellar, and increase in size and beauty from year to year.

These plants can be shipped up to July 1st by freight with perfect safety to any point east of the

Mississippi River.

## Hydrangea Otaksa

The Standard Pink Variety

Extra large specimens in half-barrels, \$10.00 to \$25.00 each.

Large plants in 14-inch common butter tubs, \$2.50 and \$4.00 each. If plants are wanted in new cedar tubs, painted green, with handles, price will be \$1.50 or \$1.80 each additional, according to size.

### New French Hydrangeas

We offer the following varieties:

Avalanche. Splendid large white flower.

E. G. Hill. Very fine. Bright pink. Large truss. La Lorraine. Pale rose, turning to bright pink. Very large flower.

Mme. Maurice Hamar. Very bright pink.

Mme. E. Mouillere. Pure white. Extra fine.

Mlle. Renee Gaillard. Very fine. Pure white.

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